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| 2. Applicant has failed to provide the full U.S. Basic National Fee by 20 months (37 CFR 1.494(b)(2)), 30 months (37 CFR 1.495(b)(2)).  |  |  |  |  |
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| Therefore, the above identified application failed to meet the requirements of 35 U.S.C 371 and 37 CFR 1.494, M. 1.495 and is ABANDONED AS TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.   |  |  |  |  |
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